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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity

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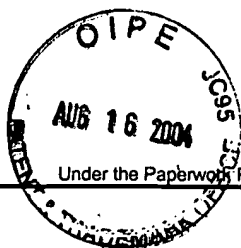
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<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b>  (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)	Application Number	10/605,224	
	Filing Date	September 16, 2003	
	First Named Inventor	Sean Lee Roe	
	Group Art Unit	36183748	
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Typed or printed name	Patricia L. Pontello		
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**COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS**

1. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) mailed on August 4, 2004.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is enclosed.

**DECLARATION OR OATH**

2. No original signed declaration or oath was filed and enclosed is a copy of the original signed declaration or oath for this application. The electronically filed application erroneously attached page 1 of the Declaration twice and omitted page 2 of the declaration. It is respectfully requested that the enclosed copy be accepted for filing.

**COMPLETION FEES**

3. Late filing of original declaration or oath  
(37 CFR 1.16(e)--\$130.00; small entity--\$65.00); \$ 130.00

**Total Completion Fees** \$ 130.00

4. Payment of Fees

Enclosed is a check for \$ 130.00.

## AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional fees which may be required by this paper and during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 13-4365.

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